



Northeast Community Federal Credit Union
San Francisco, California

Project Title	The Community Assets for Self Empowerment (CASE) Collaborative IDA Program
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AFI Grant Amount	\$40,000
Nonfederal Support	\$40,000
Project Period	February 1, 2006 - January 31, 2011
Highlights	The Community Assets for Self-Empowerment Collaborative will expand its current AFI-supported program into new service areas to enable 17 low-wealth Asian women and families to save in an IDA. The majority of participants (10 to 15) will save for small business capital, but education and homeownership will also be allowable asset goals. The match rate will be \$2 to \$1. The program features financial literacy requirement of at least 12 hours, with an additional 7 hours of credit repair training for those who need it.
Target Population	The following low-income neighborhoods in San Francisco, California: Chinatown, the Tenderloin, Visitacion Valley, and Bayview-Hunters Point.
Grantee/Collaborative Description	Northeast Community Federal Credit Union (Northeast), chartered in 1981, strives to serve low- to moderate-income individuals who have unmet savings and borrowing needs. The Community Assets for Self Employment Collaborative, founded by Northeast in 2001, is a partnership between 5 community organizations that serve and support low-income individuals and families. The Northeast Community Federal Credit Union will hold the IDA accounts.